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In re application of:

Chang Ho Choi

Serial No:

Filed: Herewith

For: MOBILE COMMUNICATION-BASED REMOTE  
METER READING SYSTEM AND METHOD

Art Unit:

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Commissioner for Patents

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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application identified above.

- ☒ 6 sheet(s) of drawings (☒ formal ☐ informal) is(are) enclosed.
- ☒ 21 page(s) of specification and 1 page(s) of abstract of the invention are enclosed.
- ☒ An assignment of the invention to LG Electronics Inc. ☒ is enclosed ☐ will follow.
- ☐ An associate power of attorney ☐ is enclosed ☐ will follow.
- ☐ Inventor(s) or Assignee(s) is entitled to small entity status under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9 & 1.27.
- ☒ Declaration and Power of Attorney ☒ is enclosed ☐ will follow.
- ☒ A certified copy of Korean Patent Application No. 10-2002-40799 filed on July 12, 2002, from which priority is claimed in the subject case pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 119 ☐ will follow ☒ is enclosed.
- ☒ IDS enclosed (☒ with references).
- ☐ Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.

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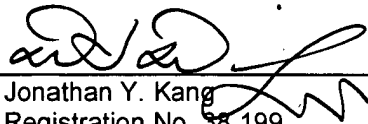
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A	TOTAL CLAIMS FEE	36	-20	16	LG=\$18 SM=\$9	\$ 18	\$ 288	
B	INDEPENDENT CLAIMS FEE*	5	-3	2	LG=\$84 SM=\$42	\$ 84	\$ 168	
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Respectfully submitted,  
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